Abby Branan

From: Joy Parks <judgejoyparks@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, April 21, 2023 3:29 PM

To: Abby Branan

Subject: Re: 2024 Budget Requests **Attachments:** Staff Attorney Pay.pdf

Abby,

I apologize for the late response. I have been under the weather all week and am just now getting around to responding to emails. We don't anticipate any increases needed in the Superior Court Lumpkin County budget at this time. We are requesting an increase in the circuit budget for a supplement for staff attorneys. We have two positions that we have been unable to fill for well over two years now due to the salary. We are requesting a \$10,000.00 supplement to be added to each of the three state positions. Of course, this supplement would be distributed to the 4 counties at the percentages agreed by the counties. We are one of if the only circuit in the state that does not currently include a supplement with these positions. I have attached a document showing the area circuits and the supplements that they provide (just for information purposes). Thank you for your attention to this, and again, I apologize for the lateness of this response. Have a great weekend!

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On Apr 16, 2023, at 10:16 AM, Abby Branan < Abby.Branan@lumpkincounty.gov> wrote:

Good morning, Melissa.

Have you had an opportunity to complete the 2024 budget requests? Budget Committee will begin meeting on Monday, and I need to have the Courts' requests included.

Thank you, Abby

Abby C. Branan

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